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# Pentagon officials want harrassment to stop

## All service members will get training to clarify DoD policy on homosexuals

By Jim Garamone

American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — All service members will undergo training that will clarify DoD's "don't ask, don't tell, don't pursue" policy on homosexuals in the military, DoD officials said Aug. 13.

The policy — promulgated in 1994 — allowed homosexuals to stay in the services so long as they did not discuss their sexual orientation. Conversely, supervisors are not to ask subordinates

about their sexual orientation.

No major changes to the policy are contemplated, said DoD officials. The clarification was based on recommendations sent to Rudy de Leon, undersecretary of defense for personnel and readiness, by a DoD working group in April 1998.

The group's recommendations have received more prominence due to the death July 5 of Army Pfc. Barry Winchell at Fort Campbell, Ky. Winchell was

beaten to death with a baseball bat allegedly because he was gay. An Article 32 hearing is under way at the post deciding whether to charge Pvt. Calvin Glover with murder.

Pentagon officials want all harassment to stop. Under the new guidelines, recruits will receive training explaining harassment of any service member is unacceptable. "The bottom line is to treat all others with respect and dignity," said

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### On the cover

Chief petty officer selectees (from far back, left to right) Robert Hodges, Matt Aninos, Rick Haack, and Abraham Elizondo, serve up lunch Aug. 13, during a fund raiser for the Naval District of Washington Chief Petty Officer Association. The chief selectees take part in various community service projects as part of their initiation into the senior enlisted ranks. Funds from the events go to charity and local scholarships. The event was organized by Chief Petty Officer Alicia McCarthy, Chairman's Dining Room. Another lunch sale is scheduled today, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., corridor 9, outside of the Joint Staff Information Resource Management Office. Photo by Tech. Sgt. Anne Proctor.

***“The department is determined to implement the homosexual conduct policy with fairness to all concerned. I’ve made it clear there is no room for harassment or threats in the military. I’ve instructed the military services to make sure that the policy is clearly understood and fairly enforced.”***

Secretary Cohen

DoD spokesperson Army Lt. Col. Catherine Abbott.

De Leon signed two memos dealing with the homosexual conduct policy. One requires that DoD guidance on the homosexual policy be “effectively disseminated to all levels of command” and be made part of training programs for law enforcement personnel, commanders and supervisors. The memo requires the instruction to be incorporated into recruit training and for service members to attend refresher training thereafter.

The other memo seeks to

institute consistent and fair application of the policy. It recommends installation staff judge advocates consult with senior legal officers before starting an investigation into alleged homosexual conduct.

If commanders wish to initiate an investigation into whether a service member made a statement regarding his or her homosexuality just to get out of serving in the military, it must be approved at the military department level.

Finally, the memo tasks service inspectors general to specifically check on the

training of commanders, attorneys and investigators, who are charged with application of the homosexual policy.

Defense Secretary William Cohen said most commanders understand the policy and institute it fairly. “The department is determined to implement the homosexual conduct policy with fairness to all concerned,” Cohen said in a written statement. “I’ve made it clear there is no room for harassment or threats in the military. I’ve instructed the military services to make sure that the policy is clearly under-



## Three selected promotion to commander

The president announced Aug. 13 the following Joint Staff Navy lieutenants were selected for promotion to commander.

**J-2:** Angela Hart  
**J-7:** Heather Cole  
**J-8:** Shari Scott

stood and fairly enforced.”

In 1998, DoD discharged 1,145 service members under the policy. Most of those were discharged because the individuals came forward.

## Clark departs for Atlantic Command, Fulford takes DJS post

Army Gen. Henry H. Shelton, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (left) presents the Defense Distinguished Service Medal to Vice Adm. Vern Clark, Director of the Joint Staff, in a farewell ceremony Aug. 11. Clark was also promoted to the rank of admiral. The admiral moved on to Norfolk, Va., as the commander, U.S. Atlantic Fleet, overseeing more than 121,740 military people, 185 ships and submarines, and 1,356 aircraft. Marine Lt. Gen. Carlton W. Fulford Jr., took the DJS post after arriving from the Pacific theater where he was the commander, U.S. Marine Forces Pacific; commanding general, Fleet Marine Forces Pacific; and commander, Marine Corps Bases, Pacific.





## New VDJS, DOM

# Providing world class service to joint staff

By Tech. Sgt. Anne Proctor  
Editor, J-Scope

He's no stranger to the Pentagon having served a seven-year stint in the 1980s. And to come back for another tour, well, most folks might think you're a glutton for punishment.

Not so for Air Force Maj. Gen. Garry R. Trexler, the new Vice Director of the Joint Staff and Director of Management, who says he's never had a bad assignment.

"Being back inside the Beltway is part of what makes serving in the armed forces chal-

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lenging and fun," said Trexler.

The Southern Illinois native and two-time graduate of the University of Missouri at Rolla, comes to the Joint Staff from Dal Molin Airport,



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Maj. Gen. Garry R. Trexler

## Directorate of Management Goals

***Adopt a culture of quality in all we do. Create a work environment that inspires trust, teamwork and continual improvement. Satisfy customer's needs with state of the art information, security, and support services. Promote open communications to proactively reduce inefficiencies and manage change. Increase strategic planning in our way of doing business.***

Vicenza, Italy, where he was the deputy commander, Fifth Allied Tactical Air Force, NATO. In his NATO capacity, he oversaw recent combat operations in the Balkans.

**H**is Pentagon experience dates from 1984 to 1991 when he served one tour as an Air Staff action officer and a second tour in Office of the Secretary of Defense where he was a military assistant to the secretary and deputy secretary.

Trexler was commissioned through the Officer Training School in 1971 and is a command pilot with over 2900 flying hours in eight different aircraft. He served in Air Training Command, Air Force Logistics Command, U.S. Air Forces in Europe, Tactical Air Command, Air Combat Command, Air Education and Training Command, and NATO.

Trexler notes having recently seen military operations from outside and inside the Pentagon will help him on the Joint Staff. "It's certainly given me the

opportunity to see both sides the equation."

**I**n his role as the VDJS, the 28-year veteran is, in essence, the DJS' wingman, overseeing the daily administration of the Joint Staff and smoothing out staff work wrinkles for the chairman and vice chairman.

Switching to his DOM hat, the former F-15 fighter pilot said that job is much

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different than the VDJS. He views the directorates’ five offices and more than 200 people as the foundation of the Joint Staff. “Providing services is what DOM does — it gives the staff the tools it needs. From JSIRMO to JSSO travel, to the furniture on which we sit and the rooms in which we work, DOM assists the rest of the staff in serving the chairman and the vice.”

**D**OM’s five offices are the joint staff comptroller, secretariat, staff support services office, security office, and information resource management office — services which impact agencies inside and outside of the build-

ing, running the gamut from action officers up to the president, added Trexler.

In his short tenure, so far the job has been better than good. “I’m continuously getting notes praising DOM’s work. I’m very pleased with the attitude and efforts of the people,” said the general. He decisively describes DOM as a world-class organization providing world-class service. “We have to be the most competent and proficient staff in the world because we serve the most competent and proficient military in the world,” said Trexler.

It’s evident when he speaks of his top three priorities that he sees people as the force multiplier in the DOM equation. “Professional people need professional

development and training. My job is to give them those opportunities. We’re (the military) not like General Motors that has the luxury of hiring a CEO off the street. We have to grow our people, and we do that by giving them opportunities to broaden their experience. We take care of our people and the sky is the limit,” said Trexler.

**M**odernizing systems is another of Trexler’s priorities, and he said there are excellent plans in motion for state-of-the-art computer systems that will be secure and easy to use. The general’s other priority is managing effects of the Pentagon renovation on the Joint Staff and making that as painless as possible for people. “We want to go through the renovation with minimal disruption to work and our people.”

Overall, Trexler hopes to create a pleasant environment, one that’s “not just paint” but inspires trust, teamwork and continuous improvement for people on the Joint Staff.

## Cohen presents DoD public service award to Spielberg

Secretary of Defense William S. Cohen (left) presents a framed citation accompanying the Department of Defense Medal for Distinguished Public Service to Steven Spielberg Aug. 11 in the Pentagon. Cohen presented Spielberg the award in recognition of the impact his movie “Saving Private Ryan” has had on the American people. According to the citation accompanying the medal, “... Mr. Spielberg helped to reconnect the American public with its military men and women, while rekindling a deep sense of gratitude for the daily sacrifices they make on the front lines of our Nation’s defense.”



DoD photo by Helene C. Stikkel



## *Johnny Rivers, and Blood, Sweat and Tears*

# Labor Day Riverfest planned at Bolling

Riverfest 1999 is Sept. 4, from noon to 4 p.m. at the Bolling Air Force Base Riverfront.

Sponsored by Bolling AFB Services Division and radio station WBIG Oldies 100.3 FM, the event is free and open to the public.

The all day concert and festival features the U.S. Air Force Band and Honor Guard along with entertainers Davey Jones, David Clayton Thomas and Blood, Sweat and Tears, and Johnny Rivers as the main headliner.

Other displays and activities such as a car show, carnival rides, children's activities, and conces-

sions will be held throughout the day.

All Department of Defense employees, retirees and their guests, with proper identification, have access to Bolling and will be allowed to enter the day of the Riverfest without a ticket. Anyone not classified as a DOD employee, retiree, or guest will have to get a ticket from WBIG Oldies.

DoD volunteers are needed to support the event and interested persons can call Debbie Snyder at (202) 767-4636.

For more information about the Riverfest, call the radio station at (301) 468-1800.



## News briefs

### Pentagon slug line pick up changes

The Pentagon Slug Line pick-up-points will change Aug. 23 and all commuter bus loading and unloading points will relocate to the Metro bus or taxi stand areas. Slug pickup points along Fern Street are marked with final destination signs. The pick-up lanes have been widened for easier ingress and egress and people can use both sides of the pick up island. New cross walks will allow for safer access to the pickup island and a fence along the center of Fern Street will prevent unsafe pedestrian crossing. For more information, see [www.dtic.mil/ref](http://www.dtic.mil/ref) or [www.Slug-line.com](http://www.Slug-line.com)

### Kings Dominion salutes CPOs

Paramount Kings Dominion amusement park salutes chief petty

officers Sept. 4. The event is open to all active duty, reserve, retired service members and friends. Tickets are \$17.50 and each ticket redeems at the park, PKD will make a contribution to the Navy Chiefs and CPO scholarship fund. Also, the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy and Fleet and Force master chiefs will conduct a chief petty officer roundup, noon, at the Kingswood Ampitheater. For more information or to attend, call Chief Petty Officer Douglas Wright at 697-3136.

### New training trends seminar

A training seminar "Formulating a New Educational Training Agenda," is offered Sept. 8-9, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the Office of the Secretary of Defense Training Center in Roslyn. The seminar is presented by Dr. Marvin Kopit and it

will provide exposure to current research and trends in education and the implications for curriculum and program development in the future. There is no cost for DOD organizations and DD Form 1556 will be provided the first day of class. The seminar is open to military and civilian leaders. To register, call Kopit at (703) 588-8152.

### Housing office reduces hours

The Bolling Housing Office is experiencing a critical manpower shortage during its busiest time of the year. To ensure customers get timely and efficient services, the office will close one hour early. Until further notice, the office hours will be Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Hours on Tuesday are from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The Bolling Housing Office apologizes for any incon-

venience and thanks customers for their patience. For more information, call Gabriele Alexander, Housing Management Chief, at (202) 404-1829.

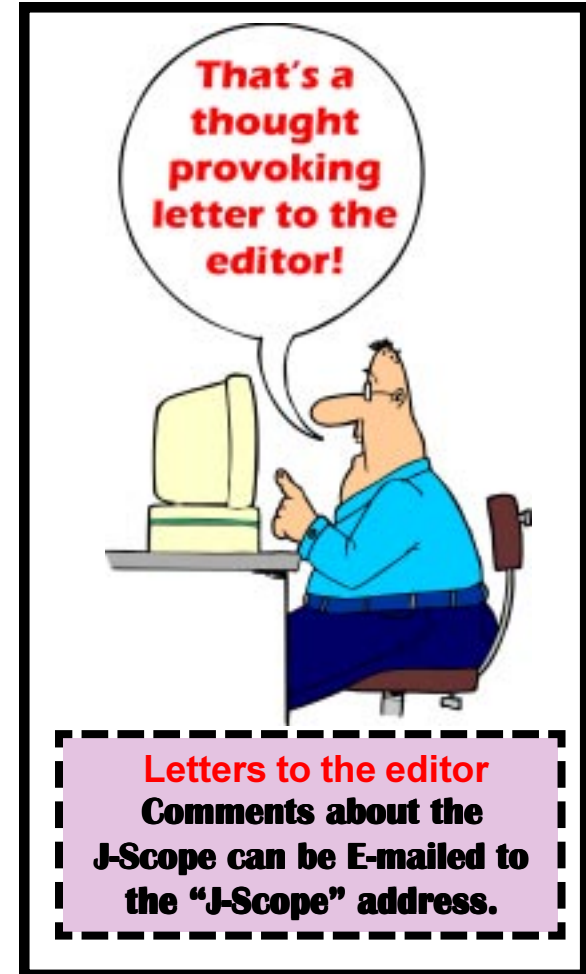
### USO job fair at Spates Hall

The Joint Employment Transition Services and the USO sponsors a job fair Aug. 27 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Spates Hall, Fort Myer. More than 700 companies have been invited. Job seekers can talk to representatives from high-tech corporations, law enforcement agencies, security companies, temporary agencies and financial service companies, among others. The fair is free and open to all members of the armed services, their family members, retired military, DoD and Coast Guard civilian personnel. For more information, call (703) 696-2552.

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## Retirement

Vice Adm. Thomas R. Wilson, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency (left) presents the Defense Superior Service Medal to Army Col. Charles W. Alsup, Assistant to J-2 Intelligence Directorate, during a retirement ceremony July 30. His guests included his daughter, Heather. Alsup retires after 28 years of service.

*DIA courtesy photo*

## Promotion

Rear Adm. L. E. Jacoby, J-2 Intelligence Directorate (left), promotes Army Lt. Col. Thomas G. Francis III, Commander, Balkans Task Force, J-2 Assessments Division, to the rank of colonel during a ceremony July 30. Francis' wife, Rebecca, helped pin on the rank. His other guests included his daughters, Amanda and Samantha; parents, Thomas Jr. and Geneva; and his brother Bob.





*Courtesy photo*

## Farewell

Rear Adm. Robert F. Willard, J-3 Deputy Director for Operations, Current Readiness and Capabilities (left), presents the Joint Service Commendation Medal and the Defense Meritorious Service Medal to Air Force Maj. Dean Longo, J-38 Reconnaissance Operations Division during an end-of-tour ceremony Aug. 12.



*Photo by Army Lt. Col. Jay Moughon*

## Farewell

Air Force Maj. Gen. John W. Brooks, J-4 Logistics Vice Director (left), presents the Defense Meritorious Service Medal to Lt. Col. Walter J. Sobczyk, J-4 Readiness and Requirements Division, during a end-of-tour ceremony Aug. 12.

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# Spotlight



Photo by Air Force Master Sgt. Vincent Johnson

**Name:** Army Capt. Patricia Solimene

**Organization:** J-6 Space Division

**Duty title:** Action officer

**Time in service:** 8 years

**Hometown:** Hackettstown, N.J.

**Family:** Husband, David

**Hobbies:** Running, swimming, cycling, and woodworking

**Most embarrassing moment:** I was playing volleyball at the beach and piece of my attire came loose. You can use your imagination to figure out the rest!

**Favorite duty station:** Fort Lewis, Wash.

**Career Highlights:** Commander of D Company, 327th Signal Battalion (Airborne)

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J-4	Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Greg Hahn	697-1018
J-5	Army Lt. Col. C.T. Taylor	697-3794
J-6	Air Force Master Sgt. Vincent R. Johnson	695-7879
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## *outside the* **Beltway**

### Families support NEO exercise

Left to right, Allison, Carla and Taylor Mackey are greeted Aug. 13 by a Marine from the 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit after passing through the gate of a notional embassy compound during a recent Noncombatant Evacuation Operation at Camp Hansen, Okinawa, Japan, as a part of the MEU's Amphibious Ready Group Exercise. More than 50 family members of 31st MEU volunteered to participate. During ARGEX the MEU may be called upon to perform a variety of special missions. These missions include amphibious raids, NEOs, tactical recoveries of aircraft and personnel, show-of-force missions, direct action missions, and humanitarian assistance/disaster relief missions.



*Photo by Marine Capt. Kristen Lasica*